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VIA ECF

The Honorable Judge Margo K. Brodie
United States District Court
for the Eastern District of New York
225 Cadman Plaza East
Courtroom 6F
Brooklyn, NY 11201

Magistrate Judge Vera M. Scanlon
United States District Court
for the Eastern District of New York
225 Cadman Plaza East
Room 1214 South
Brooklyn, NY 11201

Re: *In re Payment Card Interchange Fee and Merchant Discount Antitrust Litigation*,
No. 1:05-MD-1720 (MKB)(VMS)

Dear Judges Brodie and Scanlon:

Rule 23(b)(3) Class Counsel ("Class Counsel") attach as Exhibit A a funding request from Epiq regarding certain necessary expenses related to claims administration, including paper stock, paid media, as well as printing and mailing of the claim forms. Class Counsel request that the Court approve the net funding request of \$15,284,000.00 as detailed in the attached. The requested funds should be paid from the Class Settlement Cash Escrow Account.

Respectfully submitted,

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Exhibit A

cc: All Counsel via ECF